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PREFACE

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Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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STRUGI KRASNYYE TRAINING AREA

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STRUGI KRASNYYE, PSKOVSKAYA OBLAST, USSR

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FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF STRUGI KRASNYYE TRAINING AREA.

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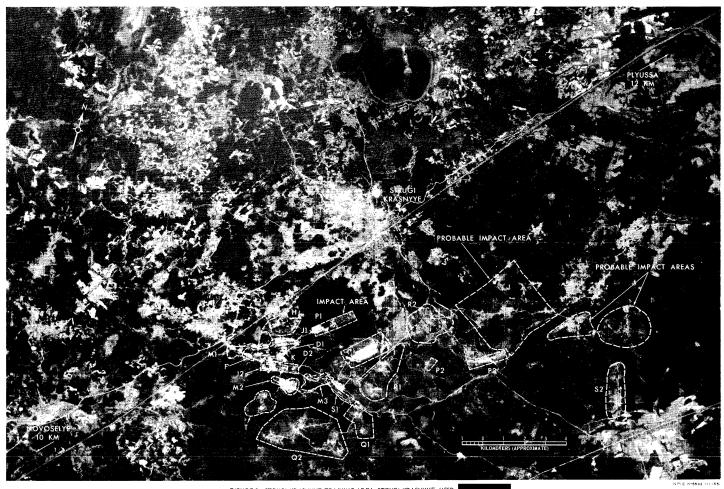


FIGURE 2. STRUGI KRASNYYE TRAINING AREA, STRUGI KRASNYYE, USSR,

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Strugi Krasnyye Training Area is located 6 kilometers (km) south of Strugi Krasnyye (Figure 1).

The training area covers approximately 64 sq km of hilly terrain and contains 15 barracks, 2 administration/barracks buildings, 1 administration building, 4 possible messhalls, 3 possible ammunition storage buildings, 8 vehicle/equipment storage buildings, 2 possible equipment maintenance buildings, 8 range control buildings, 41 miscellaneous support buildings, a tank/assault-gun firing range, artillery ranges, wheeled- and tracked-vehicle drivertraining courses, and bivouac areas (Figure 2).

KEYHOLE missions covered the facility between The installation was active throughout the period and no significant change was observed.

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

The Strugi Krasnyye-Novoselye doubletrack railroad runs along the northwest perimeter of the installation.

Road Service

Second-class roads serve the area.

Administration and Troop Housing Areas

Area D1 contains 15 barracks, 2 administration/barracks buildings, 1 administration building, 4 possible messhalls, and 8 miscellaneous support buildings.

Area D2 is a bivouac area.

Ammunition Storage Area

Area F contains 3 well-spaced possible ammunition storage buildings protected on 1 side by a hill.

Other Buildings

Ten miscellaneous support buildings are scattered throughout the area.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Areas

Area J1 contains two 170- by 55-foot vehi-

unidentified vehicles/pieces of equipment were

observed on coverage. Area J2 contains six 170- by 55-foot vehicle/equipment storage buildings, two 140- by 65foot possible equipment maintenance buildings, and 7 miscellaneous support buildings. Approximately 100 probable tracked vehicles were observed in Four rows of unidentified vehicles/pieces of equipment were observed on coverage.

Area J3 is a secured equipment pool. Three miscellaneous support buildings are nearby.

Athletic Field

Area K is a probable parade field.

Driver-Training Areas

Area M1 is a probable wheeled-vehicle driver-training course with a figure-8 turning circle.

Area M2 is a probable wheeled- and trackedvehicle cross-country driver-training course with 1 central control/support building.

Area M3 is a probable wheeled- and trackedvehicle cross-country driver-training course.

Tank/Assault-Gun Firing Range

Area N contains a 4,500-foot tank/assault-

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gun firing range with 6 lanes (three 3,000 feet and three 2,000 feet), 6 moving targets, 5 range control buildings, 4 miscellaneous support buildings, and a small assembly area immediately behind the range.

Flat-Trajectory Firing Ranges

Area P1 contains a 3,000-foot flat-trajectory firing range with probably fixed targets, 3 range control buildings, and 3 miscellaneous support buildings.

Area P2 is a 1,500-foot flat-trajectory firing range with probably fixed targets and 3 firing lines.

Area P3 is a 4,000-foot flat-trajectory firing range with probably fixed targets and 4 firing lines.

Artillery Emplacements (Batteries)

Area Q1 is a mortar range with numerous firing positions south of the ridge line and 2 parking/assembly areas. The probable impact area is 3 km from the range.

Area Q2 is a field artillery range with road-connected training areas, each containing numerous, linear 6-gun battery positions oriented to fire in a northerly direction (north to northwest).

Infantry or Combined-Arms Field-Training Area or Courses

Area R1 consists of 2 road-connected training courses with probable random targets. The northern area has 3 parallel probable firing lanes and the southern area has radial lanes. The area may also be an impact area for mortar fire.

Area R2, probably used as a maneuver area, is a hilly area with numerous miscellaneous weapons positions and a road network.

Special Training Facilities

Area S1 is a ridge line probably used for artillery forward observation points.

Area S2 is a possible transitional firing range with 6 controlled firing lanes for firing on the march at random targets, 21 possible automatic weapons positions, and 3 support buildings.

Unidentified Facilities or Tracking Activity

Area T contains cleared areas and ground scars surrounded by roads and trails.

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REFERENCES



MAPS OR CHARTS

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